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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant(s) : Andrzej Metelski
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Title (as amended) : MICROSCOPE STAND HAVING BALANCING DEVICE
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Examiner : Kimberly T. Wood
Docket No. : 33997.0039

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This paper is in reply to the Office Action mailed March 9, 2005.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper. Currently, no amendments to the claims are being made.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.